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MINNESOTA BULLETIN NO. 190-5-17

SUBJECT: ECS – ORGANIC FIELD TOUR

Purpose. To provide information on this Field Day sponsored by the University of Minnesota.

Expiration Date. September 30, 2005

The University of Minnesota Southern Research and Outreach Center (SROC) in Waseca will host an Organic Field Tour on Wednesday, June 22, 2005.

The schedule for this tour is as follows:

- 8:30 a.m. Registration at the U of M SROC, Hwy. 14 W & Co. Rd. 57, Waseca
- 9:00 to 12:30 Bus Tour
- 12:45 to 2:30 Lunch & Tour at Sunrich, Hope MN
- 3:00 Tour ends at Waseca

Highlights of the tour include winter wheat production at the SROC; wheat and oat production with red clover underseeding by local grower, Chris Byron; field pea production, soybean production and wooly cupgrass control by Owatonna grower, Leo Seykora; lunch provided by Sunrich in Hope; panel discussion of current issues and tour of Sunrich facilities after lunch; U of M special-use soybean plots can also be viewed at Hope.

Pre-registration for the Organic Field Tour is required by June 15th. The flyer is attached to this bulletin.

NRCS employees are encouraged to attend the field day closest to their field office, with their supervisor's approval.

Questions about this bulletin can be directed to Robin Martinek, State Agronomist, at (651)602-7866.

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Attachment

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